Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Every Day Is. "Is Friday an unlucky day to borrow money?" asked the old fogy.

"I don't know," replied the grouch. "But I do know that it is an unlucky day to lend money."

A Little Sermon. Try to be kind in every way, Do not cause others sorrow; The good deeds that you do today Bring happiness tomorrow.

Mean Brute. "Don't you think that my sister has a heavenly voice?" asked Mrs. Gabb. when the lady in question had finished

singing a selection. "Sure I do," replied Mr. Gabb. "But I want you to understand that the word 'heavenly' means 'unearthly.' "

Same Old Story. She is a college graduate, She's smart, is Mary Ackward, But she, I am compelled to state, Gets off a street car backward.

The Wise Fool. "Prosperity has been the ruin of many a man," sighed the sage. "That's right," agreed the fool. "When some fellows get their hands on the horn of plenty they want to start

out on a toot." Huh! He asked for coin for car fare, so I gave it like a sooner, Although I knew that he would go

Oh, Very Well! (Sign on the door of a Rockford, Ill., hospital.)

And spend it for a schooner.

NO CHILDREN ALLOWED IN THE MATERNITY WARD.

Quick, Watson, the Hypo! He laid down by the sewer, He laid there till he died; The coroner held an inquest And said 'twas sewercide.

-Park Relhock. Yes, but You Don't Mean It That Way. Card of Thanks .- To those who so kindly assisted in the death and burial of my husband I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks. Addie Campbell .-

From an Exchange. A-choo! I'd sig a sog of gedtle sbrig, A sog of sprig I'd like to sig, Bud, gee! Wald dill I sdeeze!

Names Is Names. Joy Ryder lives at Bowling Green, O.

That's as Near as the Compositor

Could Get to It. William Ehredt of Savannah submitted to an operation this morning for the removal of his uniform appendix.-Exchange.

Things to Worry About. Cucumbers were discovered in 1650.

Our Daily Special. We all hope for the best. But only a few of us expect to get it.

Luke McLuke Says: The only thing the average man

People who are afraid to hand you any back talk are not a bit afraid to hand you a lot of talk behind your

The sort of man who gets highly peeved because he can't find socks that will exactly match his necktle never makes a very big dent in the sands of

There is just about as much fighting talk nowadays as there was before the telephone became a necessity, but there are fewer black eyes these days.

Old man smallpox is some unpopular. But he hasn't much on the only winner in a poker game after an all night

If men would work as much as they

talk we would all have money. Every now and then a man sits down and wonders why in Sam Hill his ancestors didn't have sense enough to buy real estate when the downtown section of his home city was selling for 10 cents an acre.

The old fashioned man who used to judge a newspaper by its editorial page now has a son who judges it by its

If genuine diamonds were on sale in 10 cent stores and coal was worth \$1 .-000 an ounce, women would be wearing hunks of coal in their ears.

The reason why we like to brag about our public school system and the importance of education is because a hod carrier gets more pay than a school teacher.

Every bride imagines that older married women envy her during the honeymoon. But later on she discovers that what she thought was envy was mere-

ly pity. When you are telling your pet funny story and the man you are telling it to interrupts von and says, "Old stuff, I heard that back in '76," you always hope that some day you will be on the fury when he is being tried for setting

Poet Laureate.

The office of poet laureate practically begins with Chaucer, who assumed the title about 1385. After Chaucer the office was more or less in the shadow, but from Spenser in 1599 the line of poet laureate is pretty well filled down to the present time. The office is largely honorary and has not always been held by the greatest of English poets. Dryden, Wordsworth and Tennyson being the most illustrious of its holders.-London Saturday Review.

@www.www.www.www. LOVE AND RESPECT.

The most essential thing in marriage is respect. It is above love, above compatibility. Respect will bring one through the most trying disagreements with no bruise on the soul, whatever wounds there may be in the heart. Therefore, men and women, never, never marry any one you don't really respect, however passionately you may love.

Reasonably Modest. "Isn't your friend Wiseun inclined to

be just a little bit conceited?" "Oh, not at all. He just thinks his views are bound to be right and everybody else's nearly certain to be wrong." -Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Ancient Troy. The site of ancient Troy lies between the Dardanelles and the Arabian gulf in Asia Minor.

Poetry and Pleasure.

The poet writes under one restriction only-namely, the necessity of giving immediate pleasure. Nor let this necessity of producing immediate pleasure be considered as a degradation of the poet's art. It is far otherwise, It is an acknowledgment of the beauty of the universe, an acknowledgment the more sincere because not formal, but indirect. It is a task light and homage paid to the native and naked dignity of man, to the grand elementary principle of pleasure, by which he feels and lives and moves,-William

Passing the Word. We may not believe one-half we hear, but we don't hesitate to tell it all.-Philadelphia Telegraph.

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"In case she heard of my saying it."

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas, default having been made in the conditions of a certain inden ure of mortgage, made and executed by Mrs. Emma Fisk of the township court adjudicate and determine who were at the of Almena, county of Van Buren and time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased state of Michigan, to the Paw Paw Savings bank of Paw Paw, Michigan, and dated the 13th day of January,

A. D. 1906, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Van Buren county and state of Michigan on the 13th day of Lanuary A. D. 1906 in liber 85 of mort.

It is ordered that the 17th day of July, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forencon, at said probate and allowing said account.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof the given by publication of a copy of thus order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of the said and the 17th day of July, A. D. 1906 in liber 85 of mort. January A. D. 1906 in liber 85 of mortgages on page 46, and

Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage, according to the terms thereof, at the date of this notice, is the sum of two hundred and sixty-nine dollars and one cent, sixty-nine dollars and one cent, (\$269 01) of principal and interest and an attorney fee provided by the ferms of said mortgage, and no proceedings and Kirk H. Bronard are defendants. nor suit at law nor proceedings in chancery having been begun to recover the moneys now remaining un paid and secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statues in such of taw law, Van Buren county, Michigan, case made and provided, the said of the Status of the Sta sale in said mortgage contained, and mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale easy to him who looks at the world in of the premises described in said the spirit of love. Further, it is a mortgage and hereinafter described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the total amount due on said mortg-ge, including principal and interest thereon at seven per cent, front door of the court house in the village of Paw Paw, county of Van Buren and state of Michigan, (that be-

north-east quarter (14) of section twenty eight (28), town two (2) south, rods and fourteen (14) feet north of Thousands of deaf people are today the quarter line in center of road, running thence east eight rods, north six rods, west to center of road, and south

Dated June 1st, 1916 Buren and state of Michigan, to the Some operative. Paw Paw Savings bank of Paw Paw. Now therefore, notice is hereby

terms of said mortgage, and no proceedings nor suit at law, nor proceedings in chancery having been begun to recover the moneys now remaining unpaid and secured by said mortgage, gage has become operative.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statues in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in said mortgage, and hereinafter described, Thos. J. Cavanaugh, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the the total amount due on said mortgage, including principal and interest thereon at seven per cent, taxes, attorney fee p ovided by the terms of said mortgage, and all costs or this foreclosure, at public auction to the highest bidder at the north front door of the court house in the village of Paw Paw, county of Van Buren and state of Michigan, that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county) on Saturday, the 2nd day of September A. D 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on said day, which said premises

are described as follows: The south east quarter (1/4) of the north-east quarter (1/4) of section twenty-eight (28) town two (2) south, range thirteen (13) west, lying and being east of the highway, except the south six (6) rods of the same, and except a parcel commencing eleven (11 rods and fourteen (14) feet north of the quarter line in center of road, running thence east cight (8) rods, north six (6) rods, west to center of road and south to place of beginning, heretotore deeded to the First Christian church.

That both of the above mentioned mortgages cover and convey the same pieces or parcels of property and that there is now que at the date of this notice on both mortgages the sum of five hundred and sixty four dollars and ninety three cents (\$564 93). Dated June 1st, 1916

Paw Paw Savings Bank, DETROIT | A Lynn Free, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Chancery Sale.

In pursuance and by virtue of a certain decree of the circuit court for the county of Van Buren, state of Michigan, in chancery, made and dated on the 5th day of June. A. D. 1916' wherein Martha S. Lowe is complainant, and Andlew Hanna and Ethel Hanna, are defendants.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the north front door of the court house in the village of Paw Paw, county of Van Buren and state of Michigan, said

county of Van Buren and state of Michigan, said court house being the place of holding the circuit court in and for said county) on Saturday, the 29th day of July, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forences of said day, sil, or so much thereof as thay be necessary to ruise the amount due to said complainant by the terms of said decree, together with interest comes and expenses of said decree, together with interest, costs and expenses of sale, of the fol-lowing described premises, to wit:

The north-west quarter of the north east quarter of section ninetree, then two south, range sixteen west, containing forty seres of land, more or less, township of Banger, county of Van Buren, Michi-

Dated this 15th day of June, A. D. 1916. ORAN W. ROWLAND, Circuit Court Commissions

2017 Van Buren County, Michigan Thos. J. Cavanaugh, Solicitor for Complainant,

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the Dounty or Van Buren. At a session of said court held at the probate office in the village of Paw Paw in said county on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1916.

Present, Hon. Wm. Killefer, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Nathan B. Wake-

Frank N. Wakeman, son of said dec ased, having

and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized. It is ordered that the 17th day of July, A. D.

printed and circulated in said county.
WM. KILLEFER. judge of Probate. 21t3

Margaret M. Southworth, Clerk of Probate. Chancery Sale.

In pursuance and by virtue of a certain decree Notice is hereby given, that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the north front door of the court house, in the village of Paw Paw, county of Van Buren, Michigan, that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county, on Friday, the 4th day of August, A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise the amount due to the said plaintiff, by the terms of said deree, together with costs, interest and expenses of ale of the following described premises, to-wit: The south-half of the south-west, quarter of the

Circuit Court Commissioner, 11t7 Van Buren County, Mich. Thos. J. Javanaugh, Attorney for Plaintiff, Business address Paw Paw, Michigan

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been *made taxes, attorney fee provided by the in the payment of the money secured terms of said mortgage, and all costs by a mortgage dated February 27, of this foreclosure, at public auction 1906, and executed March 1, 1906, by to the highest bidder at the north Julius H. Fletcher and Sophia E. Fletcher, his wife, of Marcellus, Michigan, to the G. W. Jones Exchange ing the place of holding the circuit bank, a corporation of Marcellus, court for said county, on Saturday Michigan, which said mortgage was the 2nd day September, A. D. 1916, at recorded in the office of the register 10 o'clock in the forer oon on said day, of deeds in the county of Van Buren which said premises are described as in liber 72 of mortgages at pages 380 The south east quarter (14) of the and 381 on the 2nd day of March,

Whereas the amount claimed to be range thirteen (13) west, lying and be- due on said mortgage at the date of ing east of the highway, except the this potice is the sum of thirty-seven south six (6) rods of the same and ex- hundred three and 60-100 dollars cept a parcel commencing eleven (11) (3703.60) of principal and interest, and the further sum of thirty-five dollars provided by statute as an attorney fee, and which is the whole amount to place of beginning, heretofore claimed to be unpaid and due upon deeded to the First Christian church. said mortgage and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or Whereas, default having also been in equity to recover the debt now remade in the conditions of a certain maining secured by said mortgafe or indenture of mortgage, made and ex- any part thereof whereby the power ecuted by Mrs Emma Fisk of the of sale centained in said mortgage has

Michigan, and dated the 13th day of given that by virtue of said power; of January A. D 1912, which said mort sale and in pursuance of the statute gage was recorded in the office of the in such case made and provided, the register of deeds for Van Buren said mortgage will be foreclosed by a county and state of Michigan, on the 15th day of January A. D. 1912, in liber 98 of mortgages on page 41, and Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage, according to house in the village of Paw Paw in the terms thereof, at the date of this said county of Van Buren, that being notice is the sum of two hundred and the place of holding the circuit court ninety five dollars and ninety two for said Van Buren[county, on Saturcents (\$295 92) of principal and interest day, the 5th day of August, A. D. and an attorney fee provided by the 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

The south one half of the south east quarter of the north-east quarter; and or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortthirteen west, Van Buren county, Michigan, containing in all one hundred acres of land according to the United States survey thereof.

Dated May 10, 1916 The G. W. Jones Exchange Bank of Marcelius, Mortgagee.

Attorney for Mortgagee. Business Address, Paw Paw, Michigan,

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